

News of the Day in Moline and East Moline

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TAX SCHOOL FOR MOLINE FIRMS

Tri-City Corporations To Meet in
Moline Municipal Hall Thurs-
day Evening.

Special school to study income
tax reports for representatives of
all corporations in Moline, Rock
Island and East Moline, will be held
at the Moline city hall Thursday
evening. Delegates of companies
are requested to read the corpora-
tion blanks and be prepared to
ask questions at the meeting.

Income tax experts of Rock Is-
land and Moline will conduct the
meeting. Jarve Chaffee and The-
odore Peterson, Moline tax agents,
and H. N. Smith and C. E. Ward,
Rock Island agents, will be in
charge.

The corporation forms, No. 1120,
are complex and to make work
easier for firms, the income tax
men are willing to have the even-
ing session. These blanks are the
regular forms, corporations hav-
ing been permitted to file tenta-
tive reports before March 15, pro-
viding they paid one-fourth of the
estimated tax. The reason that the
tentative forms were distributed
was due to the shortage of the
regular corporation forms.

Individuals who failed to make
a report before March 15, will be
allowed to do so this week. They
will be asked to file an affidavit,
giving a legitimate reason for the
failure to file before March 15, and
will also be asked to pay the en-
tire tax immediately, instead of in
quarterly installments.

EVIDENCE NEEDED TO CONVICT MAN

Chris Wold, arrested Sunday
morning at 1905 Third avenue, Mo-
line, on a complaint of an officer
who said he had given away or sold
liquor, was released in the Moline
police court yesterday afternoon by
Magistrate Frank Gustafson, who
declared that there must be evi-
dence and not suspicion on which
to hold a man.

The officer who arrested Wold
testified that Wold was holding a
bottle in his hand and that he was
giving it to another man.
"Did he give it to the other fel-
low?" asked Magistrate Gustafson.
"He was going to," replied the
officer.
"Dismissed," said the magistrate.
"There's no evidence on which
liquor was sold or given away."

The Day in Davenport

Must Take Baths—Walter Crad-
dock, a Muscatine carpenter, who
squirmed and writhed in agony,
and scratched continually, was sen-
tenced to two baths a day for the
next 10 days when he was haled
before Police Magistrate John C.
Higgins yesterday on a charge of
vagrancy. Detective John Estes said
Craddock was a vermin carrier, and
had infested the lobbies of various
hotels, not to mention the cells he
has occupied on numerous oc-
casions in the past week at the city
jail.

Youths Fined—The theft of \$11.20
will cost Roy Cahill, Harold Willey,
Julius Minich, William McLaughlin
and J. Arthur Connor, youths an-
nounced by Walter Jensen in the
"Commercial Appeal" holdup last Oc-
tober, the sum of \$25 each. The five
offenders were arraigned yesterday
in the court of Justice of the Peace
W. R. Maines and entered pleas of
guilty to a charge of receiving
stolen property. Fines of \$25 each
and costs were imposed by the
court.

Pastor's Car Stolen—While Rev.
A. Frank Hurd stood in the pulpit
of Calvary Baptist church Sunday
night exhorting his parishioners to
lead better lives, someone stepped
into his car, and drove away. The
theft was discovered after the ser-
vice. The machine was parked in an
alley-way in the rear of the church.
It is the third theft from that vicin-
ity in the past few weeks. There
are three churches in the neighbor-
hood.

Islander Held—One paper num-
ber tag, and that five months old,
adorned the auto truck of the L. S.
McCabe company, Rock Island,
when it was stopped in Davenport
Sunday by Patrolman Gene Cour-
tney. E. Jorgensen, the driver, was
placed under arrest. In police court
he was arraigned for violating the
automobile registration law. Jorgensen
claimed that the fault was
with the Iowa state court, stat-
ing that a license had been ap-
plied for some months ago but
never had been received. The case
was continued.

Mayor to Quit—Rumors which
had the origination in the selling
of his home, persisted that Mayor
Charles M. Littleton would shortly
resign his official position and
leave the city. The mayor had no
comment to make when told of the
rumors.

TWO LECTURERS COME TO SPEAK

Charles Hurrey and Rev. T. K. Hu.
Noted Y. M. C. A. Workers,
Honor Moline This Week.

Moline will be honored with the
presence of two men of interna-
tional repute, who will be in the
city the last of this week. Both
men are Y. M. C. A. workers:
Charles D. Hurrey, who served on
the Austrian-Italian front along
the Piave river and on Mount
Grappa, and Rev. T. K. Hu, secre-
tary of the Y. M. C. A. at Kan-
kow, China, who is also known as
the Chinese evangelist.

Both men will be honored guests
at a dinner to be served at the
Moline Commercial club Saturday
noon, the invitations having al-
ready been issued by William But-
terworth, Wilson P. Hunt and R.
B. Lourie. Friday evening, Y.
Hurrey will address the Bluff
Men's club at its regular meeting
and Sunday afternoon he will
speak at the Rock Island Y. M.
C. A.

Hu will speak at the Sun-
day afternoon club at the Moline
Y. M. C. A. Sunday.
Mr. Hurrey has not only been
interested in Y. M. C. A. work, but
has served as continental secre-
tary of South America and is well
booked on commercial and agri-
cultural activities of that country
as well as of its Y. M. C. A. work.
The king of Italy had extended Mr.
Hurrey an invitation to continue
his work in Italy even after the
armistice had been signed. Mr.
Hurrey will return to Italy soon.

Of Mr. Hu much can be learned
from the letter received by C. B.
Hall, secretary of the Moline Y.
M. C. A. from Mr. Hurrey, in which
he says:

"Rev. T. K. Hu or Hu Hou-Tsai
Huei Tsang as he is commonly
known among the Chinese, is an
ordained priest in the American
church mission of the Episcopal
church in Hankow, and is a man
about 45 years old. He is the sec-
retary of the membership depart-
ment of the Hankow Y. M. C. A.,
and as such not only has charge
of the business of this department,
but also takes a lead in the social
and religious work among the
members. Mr. Hu has a very
pleasing manner and has a won-
derful gift of making the mem-
bers and visitors to the building
feel at home. He is possibly the
most popular speaker in the city
and has wide acquaintance among
business men. To him is due in
great measure the cordial feeling
existing between the business
community and the church."

Y DORMITORY BOYS TO ORGANIZE CLUB

Boys of the East Moline Y. M.
C. A. dormitory will meet tomor-
row evening in the association
cafeteria to form an organization
to promote sociability at the home.
Already nearly thirty boys have
signed up to the list that will
attend the opening meeting.
J. H. Banta, secretary of the Y.
M. C. A., will be toastmaster at
the banquet and will lead in the
community singing.

BELIEVE LIST ON GOLD GLORY FLAG HAS EVERY NAME

A complete list, or what is be-
lieved to be complete, has been
prepared by Mrs. A. R. Ebl, chair-
man of the Moline Gold Glory
committee and Mrs. C. C. Sloan,
president of the Moline Woman's
club, working in conjunction to
present the glory banner contain-
ing a gold star for every lad who
gave his life in the world war and
who was entrained for service
from the upper half of Rock Island
county, to the city of Moline.

The flag will be placed in the
city library as a perpetual memori-
al. Each name will appear on the
flag with a star. Relatives or
friends who know of any soldier
who made the sacrifice and whose
name does not appear below are
asked to report same to either
Mrs. Ebl or Mrs. Sloan. The list
as prepared by the committee is:
Mason Adams, William J. Ad-
ams, John Anderson, Elmer E.
Anderson, Chester Anderson, Lan-
rence I. Anderson, R. F. Arnold,
Jerome Bierce, Byron C. Bradley,
Albert Cole, Loren W. Davis, Miss
Francis Desaulniers, Roy Dixon,
Arthur H. Erickson, Axel Erickson,
Earl Evert, Jesse R. Epper, Wil-
liam S. Funk, Otto Goldman,
George Hogoboom, Arthur E. Hall-
berg, Marlin Hansen, Elmer Han-
sen, Charles A. Hendricks, C. W.
Jackson, Neils A. Johnson, Vernon
P. Johnson, Daniel Knowlton, Al-
bey Kille, Edward Lambo, Benja-
min L. Lamb, Earl W. Larson,
John E. Morgan, Gottlieb Marks,
George McKendrick, August Nel-
son, Hilding Z. Nelson, Edward
Newberg, Roy Norrish, Burdette
Nary, Nyvort L. Ohrn, C. Rodney
Parker, Ernest B. Pressel, Harry
A. Peterson, Carroll T. Rankin,
George A. Reimers, Harry Rose-
nfeld, R. E. Selts, Irving H. Sten,
Ralph L. Stephenson, H. L. Ste-
phenson, Charles J. Tweedy, Sam
Trachtenberg, P. Van Risseghem,
James M. Walker, A. J. N. West-
berg, Hugh Woodburn, August
Walters, Rev. H. S. Willing, Harry
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family have returned from a few
days' visit in Peoria.
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ing arrived from overseas a few
days ago.

Running a gambling house
seems to have been Carl Eng-
strom's chief occupation since he
lost his other job last Christmas.
Engstrom was arrested Saturday
night at his home at 622 Third
avenue, Moline, on a charge of
keeping a gaming house. At the
hearing last evening in the Moline
city court before Magistrate
Frank Gustafson, Engstrom pleaded
guilty to the charge and was sen-
tenced to pay \$25 and costs and
with the promise that he would
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WATTS HEARING THIS SATURDAY

Delay Arrangement of Socialist
Speaker Until Party Brings
Own Attorney.

Frank L. Watts, Socialist speak-
er arrested Saturday night, will be
arraigned before Magistrate Frank
Gustafson Saturday afternoon, the
magistrate, James Johnston, city
attorney, and Edgar Owens, Social-
ist leader, agreeing to the post-
ponement.

The delay in the hearing was
asked by Mr. Owens, who appeared
for Watts, since the Socialists
wished to bring a Socialist attor-
ney from Rockford. The Socialist
attorney also prosecuted the case
in which James Ketchum was held
for distributing bills on the streets
of Moline, in direct violation of the
city ordinances. The state alleges
that Saturday evening's street
meeting blocked traffic both pe-
destrian and vehicle, on Fifth
avenue and Fourteenth street.

Ketchum was found guilty in the
Moline police court, the Socialists
making no defense and admitting
that he was live with her father
\$3 and costs. The Socialists
appealed the case to Judge G. O.
Diets of the Moline court, who has
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Canton Moline, No. 60, Patri-
archs Militant, I. O. O. F., includ-
ing the degree staff, 60 members in
all, have a special car engaged to
go to Peoria Saturday noon, where
the staff will confer a degree for
Canton Wilsey. The Moline staff
is the official body for the state.
The trip will be made over the
Rock Island in a combination pas-
senger and baggage car. The Mo-
line staff will take its complete
outfit of degree paraphernalia. De-
partment Commander Joseph Fair-
hall of Danville, and his staff, will
attend. Canton Moline will adopt
a class of 18 candidates Thursday
night. This is the largest muster
class that has ever been admitted.

Distribution was made last eve-
ning at the session of Ed Kittelsen
camp, No. 27, of the second issue of
the United Spanish War Veterans
magazine which is published
monthly in Chicago for the benefit
of the veterans of the Spanish-
American war and also of our re-
cent war soldiers.

Plans for the annual muster of
the camp were made. It was decid-
ed to hold a social meeting Wednes-
day evening April 2. This meeting
will mark the change of meeting
nights from Monday to Wednesday.
This change is being made because
the city council will meet on Mon-
day.

Yeomen are requested to be pre-
sent at the class adoption to be held
this evening at Swedish Olive hall
by Moline homestead, No. 2897.
Special entertainment has been ar-
ranged.

MOLINE ROTARIANS COLLECT CLOTHING FOR R. C. CAMPAIGN

Moline Rotarians are engaged
this week in the collection of worn
clothing that Moline people desire
to donate to the Red Cross to go to
poverty-stricken peoples of war-
time countries of Europe. Moline's
quota is 7,000 pounds and it must
go forward before the end of the
month. Mrs. George Chase, chair-
man of the worn clothes collection
effort, urges Moline people to
houseclean now, sending the things
they don't need to the school build-
ings, or notifying the Red Cross di-
rector. Those who can be asked to
deliver clothes at chapter headquar-
ters. Rotarians will call where there
are no other means of delivery.

The Moline board of local im-
provements today ordered ordi-
nances drawn up for the paving with
asphalt and improvements on the
following streets:

Forty-eighth street from the rail-
road to Fifth avenue; twenty-fourth
avenue from Sixteenth to Eight-
eenth street; A. Eighteenth street
from Twenty-third to Twenty-
fourth avenue; Twenty-third to
Twenty-fifth streets.

Water main on Twenty-seventh
avenue between Fourth and Sev-
enth streets.

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